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from St. Lucia, British West Indies, with ballast; American schooner, *John C. Matheson*, from San Andres, Colombia, with cocoanuts. September 21, British steamship, *Highfield*, from Daiquiri, Cuba, with iron ore.

Respectfully,

WM. F. STONE,
Collector.

Vessels from Mexico, Central America, and Cuban ports inspected at Reedy Island Quarantine.

REEDY ISLAND QUARANTINE,
via Port Penn, Del., September 2, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the following vessels from Mexican, Central American, and Cuban ports have been inspected at this quarantine during the week ended September 1, 1900: August 26, steamship *Burton*, from Santiago de Cuba, with iron ore; no passengers; bill of health signed by Assistant Surgeon Von Ezdorf, Marine-Hospital Service. August 29, schooner *Cora M.*, from Baracoa, with cocoanuts; no passengers. August 30, steamship *Tyr*, from Gibara, with fruit; no passengers; bill of health signed by Faustino Sirven, quarantine officer; steamship *Hero*, from Daiquiri, with iron ore; no passengers; bill of health signed by Acting Asst. Surg. Juan de Jongh, Marine-Hospital Service. August 31, steamship *Broadgarth*, from Tampico, in ballast; no passengers. September 1, steamship *Mexicano*, from Vera Cruz and Tampico, in ballast; no passengers; bill of health signed by Acting Assistant Surgeon Hodgson, Marine-Hospital Service.

Respectfully,

T. F. RICHARDSON,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

REEDY ISLAND QUARANTINE,
via Port Penn, Del., September 9, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the following vessels from Mexican, Central American, and Cuban ports have been inspected at this quarantine during the week ended September 8, 1900: September 5, steamship *Bernicia*, from Tampico, in ballast; no passengers; bill of health signed by S. A. Magill; steamship *Frey*, from Santiago de Cuba, with iron ore; no passengers; bill of health signed by Assistant Surgeon Von Ezdorf.

Respectfully,

T. F. RICHARDSON,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S., In Command.

Smallpox in Colorado.

DENVER, COLO., September 11, 1900.

SIR: Since my report to you of September 1, the following cases of smallpox have been reported to this office during the week ended September 10: Aguilar, Las Animas County, 3 cases, August 18 to August 25; source of infection, Garden, N. Mex. Antlers, Garfield County, 2 cases, August 18 to August 25; source of infection, Glenwood Springs, Garfield County. Glenwood Springs, 1 case, August 27; source of infection, Glenwood Springs, Garfield County. Golden, Jefferson County, 2 cases, August 29 and September 4; source of infection, Golden. Huerfano County, 2 cases, September 5 and September 8; source of infection, Walsen Mine, Huerfano County. Pueblo, Pueblo County, 11 cases, August 5 to August 28; source of infection, Pueblo. Total for